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Firefighters extinguish 5-acre brush fire in Anahola

ANAHOLA – Kaua'i firefighters extinguished a brush fire that broke out in Anahola on Thursday afternoon.

No injuries were reported and no homes were threatened despite the fire's close proximity to a subdivision owned by the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands.

At approximately 4:20 p.m. on Thursday, personnel from the Kaiākea and Kapa'a fire stations, Rescue 3, Air 1, and the on-duty Battalion Chief were dispatched to a brush fire off of Kukuihale Road in Anahola. Crews were able to extinguish the 5-acre fire at approximately 10:20 p.m.

Firefighters returned to the scene at midnight on July 3 to investigate a large amount of smoke at the site of original brushfire and used approximately 150 gallons of water to put the fire out.

On July 3, firefighters returned to the scene of the original fire at approximately 7:30 a.m., extinguished the remaining hot spots, and cleared the scene at 8:30 a.m.

The cause of the fire is not yet known and remains under investigation.







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